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STATEMENT AFTER NOTICE

OF ALLOWANCE

This is a response to the petition filed on March 31, 1997 under 37 CFR 1.97, for consideration of an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed after the mailing of a Notice of Allowance but before payment of the issue fee.

The petition is DENIED because it lacks a proper certification as specified in 37 CFR (d) (2) (i) and 1.97(e).

The information disclosure statement has been placed of record in the file but will not be considered by the examiner.

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